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AN ACT

To make technical corrections and miscellaneous amendments
to trade laws.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. PAYMENT OF DUTIES AND FEES.**

2 (a) INTEREST ACCRUAL.—Section 505(c) of the Tar-
 3 iff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1505(c)) is amended in the
 4 second sentence by inserting after “duties, fees, and inter-
 5 est” the following: “or, in a case in which a claim is made
 6 under section 520(d), from the date on which such claim
 7 is made,”.

8 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by
 9 subsection (a) shall apply to claims made pursuant to sec-
 10 tion 520(d) of the Tariff Act of 1930 on or after April
 11 25, 1995.

12 **SEC. 2. OTHER TECHNICAL AND CONFORMING AMEND-**
 13 **MENTS.**

14 (a) EXAMINATION OF BOOKS AND WITNESSES.—Sec-
 15 tion 509(a)(2) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C.
 16 1509(a)(2)) is amended by striking “(c)(1)(A)” and in-
 17 serting “(d)(1)(A)”.

18 (b) REQUIREMENT FOR CERTIFICATE FOR IMPORTA-
 19 TION OF ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS IN SMALL VESSELS.—Sec-
 20 tion 7 of the Act of August 5, 1935 (19 U.S.C. 1707;
 21 49 Stat. 520), is repealed.

22 (c) PENALTIES FOR CERTAIN VIOLATIONS.—Section
 23 592 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1592) is amend-
 24 ed—

25 (1) in subsection (a)(1), by striking “lawful
 26 duty” and inserting “lawful duty, tax, or fee”; and

1 (2) in subsections (b)(1)(A)(vi), (c)(2)(A)(ii),
 2 (c)(3)(A)(ii), (c)(4)(A)(i), and (c)(4)(B) by striking
 3 “lawful duties” each place it appears and inserting
 4 “lawful duties, taxes, and fees”.

5 (d) DEPRIVATION OF LAWFUL DUTIES, TAXES, OR
 6 FEES.—Section 592(d) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19
 7 U.S.C. 1592(d)) is amended by striking “or fees be re-
 8 stored” and inserting “and fees be restored”.

9 (e) RECONCILIATION TREATED AS ENTRY FOR REC-
 10 ORDKEEPING.—

11 (1) Section 401(s) of the Tariff Act of 1930
 12 (19 U.S.C. 1401(s)) is amended by inserting “rec-
 13 ordkeeping,” after “reliquidation,”.

14 (2) Section 508(c)(1) of such Act (19 U.S.C.
 15 1508(c)(1)) is amended by inserting “, filing of a
 16 reconciliation,” after “entry”.

17 (f) EXTENSION OF LIQUIDATION.—Section 504(d) of
 18 the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1504(d)) is amended
 19 by inserting “, unless liquidation is extended under sub-
 20 section (b),” after “shall liquidate the entry”.

21 (g) EXEMPTION FROM DUTY FOR PERSONAL AND
 22 HOUSEHOLD GOODS ACCOMPANYING RETURNING RESI-
 23 DENTS.—Section 321(a)(2)(B) of the Tariff Act of 1930
 24 (19 U.S.C. 1321(a)(2)(B)) is amended by inserting “,
 25 9804.00.65,” after “9804.00.30”.

1 (h) DEBT COLLECTION.—Section 631(a) of the Tar-
 2 iff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1631(a)) is amended—

3 (1) by inserting after “law,” the following: “in-
 4 cluding section 3302 of title 31, United States Code,
 5 and subchapters I and II of chapter 37 of such
 6 title,”; and

7 (2) by inserting “and the expenses associated
 8 with recovering such indebtedness,” after “Govern-
 9 ment,”.

10 (i) EXAMINATION OF BOOKS AND WITNESSES.—Sec-
 11 tion 509(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1509(b))
 12 is amended in paragraphs (3) and (4) by striking “appro-
 13 priate regional commissioner” and inserting “officer des-
 14 ignated pursuant to regulations”.

15 (j) REVIEW OF PROTESTS.—Section 515(d) of the
 16 Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1515(d)) is amended by
 17 striking “district director” and inserting “port director”.

18 (k) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
 19 this section apply as of December 8, 1993.

20 **SEC. 3. CLARIFICATION REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF**
 21 **CUSTOMS USER FEES.**

22 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subparagraph (D) of section
 23 13031(b)(8) of the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Rec-
 24 onciliation Act of 1985 (19 U.S.C. 58c(b)(8)(D)) is
 25 amended—

1 (1) in clause (iv)—

2 (A) by striking “subparagraph 9802.00.80
3 of such Schedules” and inserting “heading
4 9802.00.80 of such Schedule”; and

5 (B) by striking “and” at the end of clause
6 (iv);

7 (2) by striking the period at the end of clause
8 (v) and inserting “; and”; and

9 (3) by inserting after clause (v) the following
10 new clause:

11 “(vi) in the case of merchandise entered from
12 a foreign trade zone (other than merchandise to
13 which clause (v) applies), be applied only to the
14 value of the privileged or nonprivileged foreign sta-
15 tus merchandise under section 3 of the Act of June
16 18, 1934 (commonly known as the Foreign Trade
17 Zones Act, 19 U.S.C. 81c).”.

18 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
19 subsection (a) apply to—

20 (1) any entry made from a foreign trade zone
21 on or after the 15th day after the date of the enact-
22 ment of this Act; and

23 (2) any entry made from a foreign trade zone
24 after November 30, 1986, and before such 15th day

1 if liquidation of the entry was not final before such
2 15th day.

3 (c) APPLICATION OF FEES TO CERTAIN AGRICUL-
4 TURAL PRODUCTS.—The amendment made by section
5 111(b)(2)(D)(iv) of the Customs and Trade Act of 1990
6 shall apply to—

7 (1) any entry made from a foreign trade zone
8 on or after the 15th day after the date of the enact-
9 ment of this Act; and

10 (2) any entry made from a foreign trade zone
11 after November 30, 1986, and before such 15th day
12 if the liquidation of the entry was not final before
13 such 15th day.

14 **SEC. 4. TECHNICAL AMENDMENT TO THE CUSTOMS AND**
15 **TRADE ACT OF 1990.**

16 Subsection (b) of section 484H of the Customs and
17 Trade Act of 1990 (19 U.S.C. 1553 note) is amended by
18 striking “, or withdrawn from warehouse for consump-
19 tion,” and inserting “for transportation in bond”.

20 **SEC. 5. CLARIFICATION OF FEES FOR CERTAIN CUSTOMS**
21 **SERVICES.**

22 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 13031(b)(9)(A) of the
23 Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985
24 (19 U.S.C. 58c(b)(9)(A)) is amended—

1 (1) by striking “centralized hub facility or” in
2 clause (i); and

3 (2) in clause (ii)—

4 (A) by striking “facility—” and inserting
5 “facility or centralized hub facility—”,

6 (B) by striking “customs inspectional” in
7 subclause (I), and

8 (C) by striking “at the facility” in sub-
9 clause (I) and inserting “for the facility”.

10 (b) DEFINITIONS.—Section 13031(b)(9)(B)(i) of the
11 Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985
12 (19 U.S.C. 58c(b)(9)(B)(i)) is amended—

13 (1) by striking “, as in effect on July 30,
14 1990”, and

15 (2) by adding at the end thereof the following
16 new sentence: “Nothing in this paragraph shall be
17 construed as prohibiting the Secretary of the Treas-
18 ury from processing merchandise that is informally
19 entered or released at any centralized hub facility or
20 express consignment carrier facility during the nor-
21 mal operating hours of the Customs Service, subject
22 to reimbursement and payment under subparagraph
23 (A).”.

24 (c) CITATION.—Section 13031(b)(9)(B)(ii) of the
25 Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985

1 (19 U.S.C. 58c(b)(9)(B)(ii)) is amended by striking “sec-
2 tion 236 of the Tariff and Trade Act of 1984” and insert-
3 ing “section 236 of the Trade and Tariff Act of 1984”.

4 **SEC. 6. SPECIAL RULE FOR EXTENDING TIME FOR FILING**
5 **DRAWBACK CLAIMS.**

6 Section 313(r) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C.
7 1313(r)) is amended by adding at the end the following:

8 “(3)(A)(i) Subject to clause (ii), the Customs
9 Service may, notwithstanding the limitation set forth
10 in paragraph (1), extend the time for filing a draw-
11 back claim for a period not to exceed 18 months,
12 if—

13 “(I) the claimant establishes to the satis-
14 faction of the Customs Service that the claim-
15 ant was unable to file the drawback claim be-
16 cause of an event declared by the President to
17 be a major disaster on or after January 1,
18 1994; and

19 “(II) the claimant files a request for such
20 extension with the Customs Service within one
21 year from the last day of the 3-year period re-
22 ferred to in paragraph (1).

23 “(ii) In the case of a major disaster occurring
24 on or after January 1, 1994, and before the date of
25 the enactment of this paragraph—

1 “(I) the Customs Service may extend the
 2 time for filing the drawback claim for a period
 3 not to exceed 1 year; and

4 “(II) the request under clause (i)(II) must
 5 be filed not later than 1 year from the date of
 6 the enactment of this paragraph.

7 “(B) If an extension is granted with respect to
 8 a request filed under this paragraph, the periods of
 9 time for retaining records set forth in subsection (t)
 10 of this section and section 508(c)(3) shall be ex-
 11 tended for an additional 18 months or, in a case to
 12 which subparagraph (A)(ii) applies, for a period not
 13 to exceed 1 year from the date the claim is filed.

14 “(C) For purposes of this paragraph, the term
 15 ‘major disaster’ has the meaning given that term in
 16 section 102(2) of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster
 17 Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C.
 18 5122(2)).”.

19 **SEC. 7. TREATMENT OF CERTAIN ENTRIES.**

20 (a) LIQUIDATION OR RELIQUIDATION OF ENTRIES.—
 21 Notwithstanding sections 514 and 520 of the Tariff Act
 22 of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1514 and 1520), and any other provi-
 23 sion of law, the United States Customs Service shall liq-
 24 uidate or reliquidate those entry numbers made at New
 25 York, New York, which are listed in subsection (c), in ac-

1 cordance with the final results of the administrative re-
 2 view, covering the period from May 1, 1984, through
 3 March 31, 1985, undertaken by the International Trade
 4 Administration of the Department of Commerce for such
 5 entries (case number A-580-008).

6 (b) PAYMENT OF AMOUNTS OWED.—Any amounts
 7 owed by the United States pursuant to the liquidation or
 8 reliquidation of an entry under subsection (a) shall be paid
 9 by the Customs Service within 90 days after such liquida-
 10 tion or reliquidation.

11 (c) ENTRY LIST.—The entries referred to in sub-
 12 section (a) are the following:

Entry Number	Date of Entry
84-4426808	August 29, 1984
84-4427823	September 4, 1984
84-4077985	July 25, 1984
84-4080859	August 3, 1984
84-4080817	August 3, 1984
84-4077723	August 1, 1984
84-4075194	July 10, 1984
84-4076481	July 17, 1984
84-4080930	August 9, 1984.

13 **SEC. 8. TEMPORARY DUTY SUSPENSION FOR PERSONAL EF-**
 14 **FECTS OF PARTICIPANTS IN CERTAIN WORLD**
 15 **ATHLETIC EVENTS.**

16 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subchapter II of chapter 99 of
 17 the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States is
 18 amended by inserting in numerical sequence the following
 19 new heading:

“	9902.98.05	Any of the following articles not intended for sale or distribution to the public: personal effects of aliens who are participants in, officials of, or accredited members of delegations to, the 1998 Goodwill Games, and of persons who are immediate family members of or servants to any of the foregoing persons; equipment and materials imported in connection with the foregoing event by or on behalf of the foregoing persons or the organizing committee of such event; articles to be used in exhibitions depicting the culture of a country participating in such event; and, if consistent with the foregoing, such other articles as the Secretary of the Treasury may allow	Free	No change	Free	On or before 2/1/99	”.
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1 (b) TAXES AND FEES NOT TO APPLY.—The articles
2 described in heading 9902.98.05 of the Harmonized Tariff
3 Schedule of the United States (as added by subsection (a))
4 shall be free of taxes and fees which may be otherwise
5 applicable.

6 (c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by
7 this section applies to articles entered, or withdrawn from
8 warehouse for consumption, on or after the 15th day after
9 the date of the enactment of this Act.

10 **SEC. 9. MISCELLANEOUS TECHNICAL CORRECTION.**

11 Section 313(s)(2)(B) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19
12 U.S.C. 1313(s)(2)(B)) is amended by striking “successor”
13 the first place it appears and inserting “predecessor”.

1 **SEC. 10. URUGUAY ROUND AGREEMENTS ACT.**

2 Section 405(b) of the Uruguay Round Agreements
3 Act (19 U.S.C. 3602(b)) is amended—

4 (1) in paragraph (1) by striking “1(a)” and in-
5 serting “1(b)”; and

6 (2) in paragraph (2) by striking “1(b)” and in-
7 serting “1(a)”.

8 **SEC. 11. FEES FOR CERTAIN CUSTOMS SERVICES.**

9 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 13031(a)(5) of the Con-
10 solidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985 (19
11 U.S.C. 58c(a)(5)) is amended—

12 (1) in subparagraph (A), by inserting “a place”
13 after “aircraft from”; and

14 (2) in subparagraph (B), by striking “sub-
15 section (b)(1)(A)” and inserting “subsection
16 (b)(1)(A)(i)”.

17 (b) LIMITATION ON FEES.—Section 13031(b)(1) of
18 the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of
19 1985 (19 U.S.C. 58c(b)(1)) is amended to read as follows:

20 “(b) LIMITATIONS ON FEES.—(1)(A) No fee may be
21 charged under subsection (a) of this section for customs
22 services provided in connection with—

23 “(i) the arrival of any passenger whose jour-
24 ney—

25 “(I) originated in—

26 “(aa) Canada,

1 “(bb) Mexico,

2 “(cc) a territory or possession of the
3 United States, or

4 “(dd) any adjacent island (within the
5 meaning of section 101(b)(5) of the Immi-
6 gration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C.
7 1101(b)(5))), or

8 “(II) originated in the United States and
9 was limited to—

10 “(aa) Canada,

11 “(bb) Mexico,

12 “(cc) territories and possessions of the
13 United States, and

14 “(dd) such adjacent islands;

15 “(ii) the arrival of any railroad car the journey
16 of which originates and terminates in the same
17 country, but only if no passengers board or dis-
18 embark from the train and no cargo is loaded or un-
19 loaded from such car while the car is within any
20 country other than the country in which such car
21 originates and terminates;

22 “(iii) the arrival of any ferry; or

23 “(iv) the arrival of any passenger on board a
24 commercial vessel traveling only between ports which

1 are within the customs territory of the United
2 States.

3 “(B) The exemption provided for in subparagraph
4 (A) shall not apply in the case of the arrival of any pas-
5 senger on board a commercial vessel whose journey origi-
6 nates and terminates at the same place in the United
7 States if there are no intervening stops.

8 “(C) The exemption provided for in subparagraph
9 (A)(i) shall not apply to fiscal years 1994, 1995, 1996,
10 and 1997.”.

11 (c) FEE ASSESSED ONLY ONCE.—Section
12 13031(b)(4) of the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Rec-
13 onciliation Act of 1985 (19 U.S.C. 58c(b)(4)) is amend-
14 ed—

15 (1) by redesignating subparagraphs (A) and
16 (B) as clauses (i) and (ii), respectively;

17 (2) by striking “No fee” and inserting “(A) No
18 fee”; and

19 (3) by adding at the end the following new sub-
20 paragraph:

21 “(B) In the case of a commercial vessel making a
22 single voyage involving 2 or more United States ports with
23 respect to which the passengers would otherwise be
24 charged a fee pursuant to subsection (a)(5), such fee shall
25 be charged only 1 time for each passenger.”.

1 (d) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
2 this section shall take effect as if included in the amend-
3 ments made by section 521 of the North American Free
4 Trade Agreement Implementation Act.

5 **SEC. 12. TECHNICAL CORRECTION TO CERTAIN CHEMICAL**
6 **DESCRIPTION.**

7 (a) AMENDMENT TO SUBHEADING 2933.90.02.—The
8 article description for subheading 2933.90.02 of the Har-
9 monized Tariff Schedule of the United States is amended
10 by striking “(Quizalofop ethyl)”.

11 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—

12 (1) GENERAL RULE.—The amendment made by
13 this section applies to articles entered, or withdrawn
14 from warehouse for consumption, on or after the
15 15th day after the date of the enactment of this Act.

16 (2) RETROACTIVE PROVISION.—Notwithstand-
17 ing section 514 of the Tariff Act of 1930 or any
18 other provision of law, upon proper request (which
19 includes sufficient information to identify and locate
20 the entry) filed with the Customs Service on or be-
21 fore the date that is 180 days after the date of the
22 enactment of this Act, any entry, or withdrawal
23 from warehouse for consumption, of an article that
24 occurred—

1 (A) after December 31, 1994, and before
2 the date that is 15 days after the date of the
3 enactment of this Act, and

4 (B) with respect to which there would have
5 been no duty or a lesser duty if the amendment
6 made by subsection (a) applied to such entry or
7 withdrawal,

8 shall be liquidated or reliquidated as though such
9 amendment applied to such entry or withdrawal.

10 **SEC. 13. MARKING OF IMPORTED ARTICLES AND CONTAIN-**
11 **ERS.**

12 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 304 of the Tariff Act of
13 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1304) is amended—

14 (1) by redesignating subsections (f), (g), (h),
15 and (i) as subsections (h), (i), (j), and (k), respec-
16 tively, and

17 (2) by inserting after subsection (e) the follow-
18 ing new subsections:

19 “(f) MARKING OF CERTAIN COFFEE AND TEA PROD-
20 UCTS.—The marking requirements of subsections (a) and
21 (b) shall not apply to articles described in subheadings
22 0901.21, 0901.22, 0902.10, 0902.20, 0902.30, 0902.40,
23 2101.10, and 2101.20 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule
24 of the United States, as in effect on January 1, 1995.

1 “(g) MARKING OF SPICES.—The marking require-
 2 ments of subsections (a) and (b) shall not apply to articles
 3 provided for under subheadings 0904.11, 0904.12,
 4 0904.20, 0905.00, 0906.10, 0906.20, 0907.00, 0908.10,
 5 0908.20, 0908.30, 0909.10, 0909.20, 0909.30, 0909.40,
 6 0909.50, 0910.10, 0910.20, 0910.30, 0910.40, 0910.50,
 7 0910.91, 0910.99, 1106.20, 1207.40, 1207.50, 1207.91,
 8 1404.90, and 3302.10, and items classifiable in categories
 9 0712.90.60, 0712.90.8080, 1209.91.2000, 1211.90.2000,
 10 1211.90.8040, 1211.90.8050, 1211.90.8090,
 11 2006.00.3000, 2918.13.2000, 3203.00.8000,
 12 3301.90.1010, 3301.90.1020, and 3301.90.1050 of the
 13 Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States, as in
 14 effect on January 1, 1995.”.

15 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
 16 this section apply to goods entered, or withdrawn from
 17 warehouse for consumption, on or after the date of the
 18 enactment of this Act.

19 **SEC. 14. RELIQUIDATING ENTRY OF WARP KNITTING MA-**
 20 **CHINES.**

21 Notwithstanding section 514 of the Tariff Act of
 22 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1514) or any other provision of law, upon
 23 proper request filed with the Customs Service before the
 24 180th day after the date of the enactment of this Act,
 25 the Secretary of the Treasury shall—

1 (1) liquidate or reliquidate as duty free Entry
 2 No. 100–3022436–3, made on July 12, 1989, at the
 3 port of Charleston, South Carolina; and

4 (2) refund any duties and interest paid with re-
 5 spect to such entry.

6 **SEC. 15. INJURY DETERMINATIONS FOR CERTAIN COUN-**
 7 **TERVAILING DUTY ORDERS.**

8 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 753 of the Tariff Act of
 9 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1675b) is amended—

10 (1) by inserting “or section 701(c)” after “sec-
 11 tion 303” each place it appears in the section head-
 12 ing and text; and

13 (2) in subsections (a)(2) and (c) by striking
 14 “under section 303(a)(2)”;

15 **SEC. 16. TREATMENT OF DIFFERENCE BETWEEN COLLEC-**
 16 **TIONS OF ESTIMATED ANTIDUMPING DUTY**
 17 **AND FINAL ASSESSED DUTY UNDER ANTI-**
 18 **DUMPING DUTY ORDER.**

19 Section 737(a) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C.
 20 1673f(a)) is amended—

21 (1) in the matter preceding paragraph (1) by
 22 striking “deposit collected” and inserting “deposit,
 23 or the amount of any bond or other security, re-
 24 quired”;

1 (2) in paragraph (1) by striking “the cash de-
2 posit collected” and inserting “that the cash deposit,
3 bond, or other security”; and

4 (3) in paragraph (2) by striking “refunded, to
5 the extent the cash deposit” and inserting “refunded
6 or released, to the extent that the cash deposit,
7 bond, or other security”.

8 **SEC. 17. PERSONAL ALLOWANCE EXEMPTION FROM DU-**
9 **TIES.**

10 Section 555(b)(6) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19
11 U.S.C. 1555(b)(6)) is amended by inserting after “cus-
12 toms territory” the following: “, except that merchandise
13 purchased by United States residents is eligible for exemp-
14 tion from duty under subheadings 9804.00.65,
15 9804.00.70, and 9804.00.72 of the Harmonized Tariff
16 Schedule of the United States upon the United States resi-
17 dent’s return to the customs territory of the United
18 States, if the person meets the eligibility requirements for
19 the exemption claimed. Notwithstanding any other provi-
20 sion of law, such merchandise shall be considered to be
21 articles acquired abroad as an incident of the journey from
22 which the person is returning, for purposes of determining
23 eligibility for any such exemption”.

1 **SEC. 18. TARIFF TREATMENT OF CERTAIN SILVER AND**
 2 **GOLD BARS.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subchapter II of chapter 71 of
 4 the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States is
 5 amended—

6 (1) by striking subheading 7106.92.00 and in-
 7 serting in numerical sequence the following new sub-
 8 headings and superior text thereto, with such text
 9 having the same degree of indentation as subheading
 10 7106.91:

“	7106.92	Semimanufactured:				
	7106.92.10	Rectangular or near-rec- tangular shapes, each hav- ing a purity of 99.5 per- cent or higher and not otherwise marked or deco- rated than with weight, purity or other identifying information	Free		Free	
	7106.92.50	Other	4.8%	Free (A*, CA, E, IL, J, MX)	65%	”;

11 (2) by striking subheading 7108.13.50 and in-
 12 serting in numerical sequence the following new sub-
 13 headings and superior text thereto, with such text
 14 having the same degree of indentation as subheading
 15 7108.13.10:

“	7108.13.55	Other: Rectangular or near- rectangular shapes, each having a purity of 99.5 percent or higher and not other- wise marked or deco- rated than with weight, purity or other identifying in- formation	Free		Free	
	7108.13.70	Other	6.6%	Free (CA, E, IL, J, MX)	65%	”;
						and

(3) by striking subheadings 7115.90.10 through 7115.90.50 and inserting in numerical sequence the following new subheadings and superior text, with the article description for subheading 7115.90.15 having the same degree of indentation as the article description of subheading 7116.10.10:

“	7115.90.15	Gold, not clad with precious metal, in rectangular or near-rectangular shapes, each having a purity of 99.5 percent or higher and not otherwise marked or decorated than with weight, purity or other identifying information	Free		Free	
	7115.90.25	Silver, not clad with precious metal, in rectangular or near-rectangular shapes, each having a purity of 99.5 percent or higher and not otherwise marked or decorated than with weight, purity or other identifying information	Free		Free	
		Other:				
	7115.90.30	Of gold, including metal clad with gold	6.2%	Free (A*, CA, E, IL, J, MX)	110%	
	7115.90.40	Of silver, including metal clad with silver	4.8%	Free (A*, CA, E, IL, J, MX)	65%	
	7115.90.60	Other	6.4%	Free (A, CA, E, IL, J, MX)	65%	”.

(b) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—General note 4(d) of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States is amended—

(1) by striking “7106.92.00 Chile” and inserting “7106.92.50 Chile”; and

(2) by striking “7115.90.10 Argentina” and “7115.90.20 Argentina” and inserting “7115.90.30 Argentina” and “7115.90.40 Argentina”, respectively.

1 (c) STAGED RATE REDUCTIONS.—Any staged rate
2 reduction that was proclaimed by the President before the
3 date of the enactment of this Act to take effect on or after
4 the date of the enactment of this Act—

5 (1) of a rate of duty set forth in subheading
6 7106.92.00 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of
7 the United States shall apply to the corresponding
8 rate of duty in subheading 7106.92.50 of such
9 Schedule (as added by subsection (a)(1));

10 (2) of a rate of duty set forth in subheading
11 7108.13.50 shall apply to the corresponding rate of
12 duty in subheading 7108.13.70 of such Schedule (as
13 added by subsection (a)(2));

14 (3) of a rate of duty set forth in subheading
15 7115.90.10 shall apply to the corresponding rate of
16 duty in subheading 7115.90.30 of such Schedule (as
17 added by subsection (a)(3));

18 (4) of a rate of duty set forth in subheading
19 7115.90.20 shall apply to the corresponding rate of
20 duty in subheading 7115.90.40 of such Schedule (as
21 added by subsection (a)(3)); and

22 (5) of a rate of duty set forth in subheading
23 7115.90.50 shall apply to the corresponding rate of
24 duty in subheading 7115.90.60 of such Schedule (as
25 added by subsection (a)(3)).

(d) **EFFECTIVE DATE.**—The amendments made by this section shall apply with respect to goods that are entered, or withdrawn from warehouse for consumption, on or after the date that is 15 days after the date of the enactment of this Act.

SEC. 19. CERTAIN LEAD FUEL TEST ASSEMBLIES.

(a) **IN GENERAL.**—Notwithstanding section 514 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1514) or any other provision of law, the Secretary of the Treasury shall—

(1) liquidate or reliquidate as free of duty the entries listed in subsection (b), and

(2) refund any duties paid with respect to such entry,

if the importer files a request therefor with the Customs Service within 60 days after the date of the enactment of this Act.

(b) **ENTRIES.**—The entries referred to in subsection (a) are as follows:

Entry Number	Date of Entry
110-0675952-3	March 9, 1990
110-1525996-0	September 19, 1990
110-3667810-7	November 7, 1990
110-1526938-1	December 21, 1990.

1 **SEC. 20. CERTAIN UNLIQUIDATED VESSEL REPAIR EN-**
2 **TRIES.**

3 (a) TEMPORARY EXEMPTION EXTENDED.—Section
4 484E of the Customs and Trade Act of 1990 (19 U.S.C.
5 1466 note) is amended—

6 (1) in subsection (b)—

7 (A) by striking “and” at the end of para-
8 graph (2)(B);

9 (B) by redesignating paragraph (3) as
10 paragraph (4); and

11 (C) by inserting after paragraph (2) the
12 following new paragraph;

13 “(3) any entry listed in subsection (c) that was
14 made during the period beginning on January 1,
15 1993, and ending on December 31, 1994, to the ex-
16 tent such entry involves the purchase of equipment,
17 the use of materials, or the expense of repairs in a
18 foreign country for 66 LASH (Lighter Aboard Ship)
19 barges documented under the laws of the United
20 States if—

21 “(A) such entry was not liquidated on Jan-
22 uary 1, 1995; and

23 “(B) such entry, had it been made on or
24 after January 1, 1995, would otherwise be eligi-
25 ble for the exemption provided in section

- 1 466(h)(1) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C.
2 1466(h)(1)), and”; and
3 (2) by adding at the end the following:
4 “(c) ENTRIES.—The entries referred to in subsection
5 (b)(3) are the following:
6 “(1) NUMBERED ENTRIES.—

Entry Number	Date of Entry
C14-0025455-8	August 18, 1993
C14-0025456-6	August 18, 1993
C14-0025457-4	August 18, 1993
C14-0025473-1	August 27, 1993
C14-0025478-0	September 13, 1993
C14-0025479-8	September 13, 1993
C14-0025480-6	September 13, 1993
C14-0025481-4	September 13, 1993
C14-0025511-8	April 16, 1993
C14-0025533-2	April 30, 1993
C14-0025545-6	May 21, 1993
C14-0025546-4	May 21, 1993
C14-0025547-2	May 21, 1993
C14-0025558-9	June 15, 1993
C14-0025560-5	June 15, 1993
C14-0025574-6	July 21, 1993
C14-0025575-3	July 21, 1993
C14-0025603-3	July 23, 1993
C14-0025604-1	July 23, 1993
C14-0025605-8	July 23, 1993
C14-0025623-1	October 25, 1993
C14-0025624-9	October 25, 1993
C14-0025625-6	October 25, 1993
C14-0025635-5	November 8, 1993
C14-0025636-3	November 8, 1993
C14-0025637-1	November 8, 1993
C14-0025653-8	November 30, 1993
C14-0025654-6	November 30, 1993
C14-0025655-3	November 30, 1993
C14-0025657-9	November 30, 1993
C14-0025679-3	January 3, 1994
C14-0025680-1	January 3, 1994

Entry Number	Date of Entry
C14-0025688-4	February 14, 1994
C14-0025689-2	February 14, 1994
C14-0025690-0	February 14, 1994
C14-0025691-8	February 14, 1994
C14-0025692-6	February 14, 1994
C14-0026803-8	January 24, 1994
C14-0026804-6	January 24, 1994
C14-0026805-3	January 24, 1994
C14-0026807-9	January 24, 1994
C14-0026808-7	January 24, 1994
C14-0026809-5	January 24, 1994
C14-0026810-3	January 24, 1994
C14-0026811-1	January 24, 1994
C14-0026826-9	March 10, 1994
C14-0026827-7	March 10, 1994
C14-0026828-5	March 10, 1994
C14-0026829-3	March 10, 1994
C14-0026830-1	March 10, 1994
C14-0026831-9	March 10, 1994
C14-0026832-7	March 10, 1994
C14-0026833-5	March 10, 1994
C14-0026841-8	March 31, 1994
C14-0026843-4	March 31, 1994
C14-0026852-5	May 5, 1994
C14-0026853-3	May 5, 1994
C14-0026854-1	May 5, 1994
C14-0026867-3	May 18, 1994
C14-0026869-9	May 18, 1994
C14-0026874-9	June 8, 1994
C14-0026875-6	June 8, 1994
C14-0026898-8	August 2, 1994
C14-0026899-6	August 2, 1994
C14-0040625-7	October 5, 1994.

1 “(2) ADDITIONAL ENTRY.—The entry of a 66th
2 LASH barge (No. CG E69), for which no entry
3 number is available, if, within 60 days after the date
4 of the enactment of this subsection, a proper entry
5 is filed with the Customs Service.”.

6 **SEC. 21. IMPORTS OF CIVIL AIRCRAFT.**

7 General Note 6 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule
8 of the United States is amended to read as follows:

1 “6. Articles Eligible for Duty-Free Treatment Pursuant
2 to the Agreement on Trade in Civil Aircraft.

3 “(a) Whenever a product is entered under a provi-
4 sion for which the rate of duty ‘Free (C)’ appears
5 in the ‘Special’ subcolumn, the importer—

6 “(i) shall maintain such supporting documenta-
7 tion as the Secretary of the Treasury may re-
8 quire; and

9 “(ii) shall be deemed to certify that the im-
10 ported article is a civil aircraft, or has been im-
11 ported for use in civil aircraft and will be so
12 used.

13 The importer may amend the entry or file a written
14 statement to claim a free rate of duty under this
15 note at any time before the liquidation of the entry
16 becomes final, except that, notwithstanding section
17 505(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C.
18 1505(c)), any refund resulting from any such claim
19 shall be without interest.

20 “(b) For purposes of the tariff schedule, the term
21 ‘civil aircraft’ means—

22 “(i) any aircraft—

23 “(A) that is manufactured or operated
24 pursuant to any certificate issued by the
25 Administrator of the FAA under section

44704 of title 49, United States Code, or pursuant to the approval of the airworthiness authority in the country of exportation, if such approval is recognized by the FAA as an acceptable substitute for such an FAA certificate, or

“(B) for which an application for such a certificate has been submitted to, and accepted by, the Administrator of the FAA, and

“(ii) any aircraft not described in clause (i), other than aircraft purchased for use by the Department of Defense or the United States Coast Guard.”.

**SEC. 22. TEMPORARY SUSPENSION OF DUTY ON
DICHLOROFOP-METHYL.**

(a) IN GENERAL.—Subchapter II of chapter 99 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States is amended by inserting in numerical sequence the following new heading:

“	9902.30.16	Methyl 2-[4-(2,4-dichlorophenoxy)phenoxy] propionate (dichlorofop-methyl) in bulk form or in forms or packages for retail sale containing no other pesticide products (CAS No. 51338-27-3) (provided for in subheading 2918.90.20 or 3808.30.15)	Free	No change	No change	On or before 12/31/98	”.
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(a) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 36 of the Harmonized
Tariff Schedule of the United States is amended by strik-
ing subheading 3604.10.00 and inserting the following
new subheadings, with the article description for sub-
heading 3604.10 having the same degree of indentation
as the article description for subheading 3604.90.00:

(b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—General note 4(d) of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States is amended by striking “3604.00.00 India” and inserting “3604.10.10 India” and “3604.10.90 India”.

(c) **EFFECTIVE DATE.**—The amendment made by subsection (a) applies with respect to goods entered, or withdrawn from warehouse for consumption, on or after the 15th day after the date of the enactment of this Act.

1 **SEC. 24. ELIMINATION OF DUTIES ON**
 2 **3,3'-DIAMINOBENZIDINE (TETRAAMINO**
 3 **BIPHENYL).**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subheading 2921.59.17 of the
 5 Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States is
 6 amended by striking “and m-Xylenediamine” and insert-
 7 ing “m-Xylenediamine; and 3,3'-Diaminobenzidine
 8 (tetraamino biphenyl)”.

9 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by
 10 subsection (a) applies with respect to goods entered, or
 11 withdrawn from warehouse for consumption, on or after
 12 the 15th day after the date of the enactment of this Act.

13 **SEC. 25. TEMPORARY REDUCTION IN DUTY ON**
 14 **THIDIAZURON.**

15 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subchapter II of chapter 99 of
 16 the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States is
 17 amended by inserting in numerical sequence the following
 18 new heading:

“	9902.30.17	N-phenyl-n'- (1,2,3-thiadiazol- 5'yl urea (thidiazuron) in bulk or in forms or packages for retail sale (CAS No. 51707-55-2) (provided for in subheading 2934.90.15 or 3808.30.15)	4.0%	No change	No change	On or before 12/31/98	”.
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19 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by
 20 subsection (a) applies with respect to goods entered, or

1 withdrawn from warehouse for consumption, on or after
2 the 15th day after the date of the enactment of this Act.

3 **SEC. 26. ELIMINATION OF DUTY ON 2-AMINO-3-**
4 **CHLOROBENZOIC ACID, METHYL ESTER.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subheading 2922.49.05 of the
6 Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States is
7 amended by inserting after “acid” the following: “; 2-
8 Amino-3-chlorobenzoic acid, methyl ester”.

9 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by
10 subsection (a) applies with respect to goods entered, or
11 withdrawn from warehouse for consumption, on or after
12 the 15th day after the date of the enactment of this Act.

13 **SEC. 27. TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS RELATING TO PUBLIC**
14 **LAW 103–465.**

15 (a) TITLE I.—

16 (1) Section 516A(a)(2)(A)(i)(I) of the Tariff
17 Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1516a(a)(2)(A)(i)(I)) is
18 amended by adding a comma after “subparagraph
19 (B)”.

20 (2) Section 132 of the Uruguay Round Agree-
21 ments Act (19 U.S.C. 3552) is amended by striking
22 “title” and inserting “section”.

23 (b) TITLE II.—

1 (1)(A) The item relating to section 221 in the
2 table of contents of the Uruguay Round Agreements
3 Act is amended to read as follows:

“Sec. 221. Special rules for review of determinations.”.

4 (B) The section heading for section 221 of that
5 Act is amended to read as follows:

6 **“SEC. 221. SPECIAL RULES FOR REVIEW OF DETERMINA-**
7 **TIONS.”.**

8 (2) Section 270(a)(2)(B) of the Uruguay Round
9 Agreements Act is amended by striking “771(A)(c)”
10 and inserting “771A(c)”.

11 (3) Section 702(c)(5) of the Tariff Act of 1930
12 (19 U.S.C. 1671a(c)(5)) is amended by striking
13 “(b)(1)(A)” and inserting “(b)(1)”.

14 (4) Section 732(c)(5) of the Tariff Act of 1930
15 (19 U.S.C. 1673a(c)(5)) is amended by striking
16 “(b)(1)(A)” and inserting “(b)(1)”.

17 (5) Section 212(b)(1)(C)(i)(I) of the Uruguay
18 Round Agreements Act is amended by striking “the
19 petition” and inserting “a petition”.

20 (6) Section 214(b)(2)(A)(i)(II) of the Uruguay
21 Round Agreements Act is amended by striking “the
22 merchandise” and inserting “merchandise”.

23 (7) Section 771(16)(B)(i) of the Tariff Act of
24 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1677(16)(B)(i)) is amended by

1 striking “merchandise which is the subject of the in-
2 vestigation” and inserting “subject merchandise”.

3 (8) Section 732(e)(1) of the Tariff Act of 1930
4 (19 U.S.C. 1673a(e)(1)) is amended by striking “the
5 the” and inserting “the”.

6 (9) Section 233(a)(6)(C) of the Uruguay Round
7 Agreements Act is amended by inserting “each place
8 it appears” after “‘commence’”.

9 (10) Section 261(d)(1)(A)(ii) of the Uruguay
10 Round Agreements Act is amended by inserting
11 after “is amended” the following: “by striking ‘as
12 follows:’ and inserting a comma and”.

13 (11) Section 261(d)(1)(B)(ii)(I) of the Uruguay
14 Round Agreements Act is amended by inserting “of”
15 after “section 303 or”.

16 (12) Section 337(b)(3) of the Tariff Act of
17 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1337(b)(3)) is amended in the first
18 sentence by striking “such section and”.

19 (13) Section 281(h)(4) of the Uruguay Round
20 Agreements Act is amended by striking “(A),”.

21 (14) Section 771(30) of the Tariff Act of 1930
22 (19 U.S.C. 1677(30)) is amended by striking
23 “agreement” and inserting “Agreement”.

1 (15) Section 705(c)(1)(B)(i)(II) of the Tariff
2 Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1671d(c)(1)(B)(i)(II)) is
3 amended by inserting “section” after “if”.

4 (16) Section 282(d) of the Uruguay Round
5 Agreements Act (19 U.S.C. 3572(d)) is amended by
6 aligning the text of the last sentence with the text
7 of the first sentence.

8 (c) TITLE III.—

9 (1) Section 314(e) of the Uruguay Round
10 Agreements Act is amended in the matter proposed
11 to be inserted as section 306(b)(1) of the Trade Act
12 of 1974, by striking the closed quotation marks and
13 second period at the end.

14 (2) Section 321(a)(1)(C)(i) of the Uruguay
15 Round Agreements Act is amended to read as fol-
16 lows:

17 “(i) in the first sentence by striking
18 ‘such Act’ and inserting ‘such subtitle’;
19 and”.

20 (3) Section 592A(a)(3) of the Tariff Act of
21 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1592A(a)(3)) is amended by strik-
22 ing “list under paragraph (2)” and inserting “list
23 under paragraph (1)”.

24 (4) Section 301(c)(4) of the Trade Act of 1974
25 (19 U.S.C. 2411(c)(4)) is amended by striking

1 “paragraph (1)(C)(iii)” and inserting “paragraph
2 (1)(D)(iii)”.

3 (5) Section 202(d)(4)(A)(i) of the Trade Act of
4 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2252(d)(4)(A)(i)) is amended by
5 striking “section 202(b)” and inserting “subsection
6 (b)”.

7 (6) Section 304(a)(3)(A) of the Trade Act of
8 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2414(a)(3)(A)) is amended by in-
9 serting “Rights” after “Intellectual Property”.

10 (7) Section 331 of the Uruguay Round Agree-
11 ments Act (19 U.S.C. 3591) is amended by striking
12 “, as defined in section 2(9) of the Uruguay Round
13 Implementation Act,”.

14 (8) Section 204 of the Agricultural Act of 1956
15 (7 U.S.C. 1854) is amended in the second sentence
16 by striking “Implementation” and inserting “Agree-
17 ments”.

18 (9) Section 334(b)(1)(B)(ii) of the Uruguay
19 Round Agreements Act (19 U.S.C.
20 3592(b)(1)(B)(ii)) is amended by striking “posses-
21 sion,” and inserting “possession;”.

22 (10) Section 305(d)(2) of the Trade Agree-
23 ments Act of 1979 (19 U.S.C. 2515(d)(2)) is
24 amended—

1 (A) by striking “or” after the semicolon at
2 the end of subparagraph (B); and

3 (B) in subparagraph (C) by striking the
4 period at the end and inserting a semicolon.

5 (11) Section 304 of the Trade Agreements Act
6 of 1979 (19 U.S.C. 2514) is amended—

7 (A) in subsection (a) by striking the
8 comma after “XXIV(7)”; and

9 (B) in subsection (c)—

10 (i) by striking the comma after
11 “XXIV(7)”; and

12 (ii) by striking the comma after
13 “XIX(5)”.

14 (12) Section 308(4)(D) of the Trade Agree-
15 ments Act of 1979 (19 U.S.C. 2518(4)(D)) is
16 amended by striking “the the” and inserting “the”.

17 (13) Section 305(g) of the Trade Agreements
18 Act of 1979 (19 U.S.C. 2515(g)) is amended—

19 (A) in paragraph (1)—

20 (i) by striking “of such subsection”
21 and inserting “of subsection (d)(2)”; and

22 (ii) by inserting “of subsection (d)(2)”
23 after “(as the case may be)”; and

24 (B) in paragraph (3)—

1 (i) by striking “the the” and inserting
2 “the”; and

3 (ii) by inserting “of subsection (d)(2)”
4 after “(as the case may be)”.

5 (14) Section 402(4) of the Trade Agreements
6 Act of 1979 (19 U.S.C. 2532(4)) is amended by in-
7 serting a comma after “system, if any”.

8 (15) Section 414(b)(1) of the Trade Agree-
9 ments Act of 1979 (19 U.S.C. 2544(b)(1)) is
10 amended by striking “procedures,,” each place it ap-
11 pears and inserting “procedures,”.

12 (16) Section 451(6)(A) of the Trade Agree-
13 ments Act of 1979 (19 U.S.C. 2571(6)(A)) is
14 amended by striking “Members.” and inserting
15 “Members; and”.

16 (d) TITLE IV.—

17 (1) Section 492(c) of the Trade Agreements Act
18 of 1979 (19 U.S.C. 2578a(c)) is amended by strik-
19 ing “phystosanitary” and inserting “phytosanitary”.

20 (2) Section 412(b) of the Uruguay Round
21 Agreements Act is amended by striking “1853” and
22 inserting “972”.

23 (e) TITLE V.—

1 (1) Section 154(c)(2) of title 35, United States
2 Code, is amended in the matter preceding subpara-
3 graph (A) by striking “Acts” and inserting “acts”.

4 (2) Section 104A(h)(3) of title 17, United
5 States Code, is amended by striking “section
6 104A(g)” and inserting “subsection (g)”.

7 (f) TITLE VI.—

8 (1) Section 141(c)(1)(D) of the Trade Act of
9 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2171(c)(1)(D)) is amended by
10 striking the second comma after “World Trade Or-
11 ganization”.

12 (2) Section 601(b)(1)(B) of the Uruguay
13 Round Agreements Act (19 U.S.C. 2465 note) is
14 amended by striking “such date of enactment” and
15 inserting “the date of the enactment of this Act”.

16 **SEC. 28. TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS RELATING TO PUBLIC**
17 **LAW 103-182.**

18 (a) TITLE II.—

19 (1) Section 13031(b)(10)(A) of the Consoli-
20 dated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985
21 (19 U.S.C. 58c(b)(10)(A)) is amended—

22 (A) by striking “Agreement)” and insert-
23 ing “Agreement Implementation Act of 1988”;
24 and

1 (B) by striking “section 403” and insert-
2 ing “article 403”.

3 (2) Section 202 of the North American Free
4 Trade Agreement Implementation Act (19 U.S.C.
5 3332) is amended—

6 (A) in subsection (m)(4)(C) by striking
7 “(o)” and inserting “(p)”; and

8 (B) in subsection (p)(18) by striking “fed-
9 eral government” and inserting “Federal Gov-
10 ernment”.

11 (b) TITLE III.—

12 (1) Section 351(b)(2) of the North American
13 Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act is
14 amended by striking “Agreement Act” and inserting
15 “Agreements Act”.

16 (2) Section 411(c) of the Trade Agreements Act
17 of 1979 (19 U.S.C. 2541(c)) is amended by striking
18 “Special Representatives” and inserting “Trade
19 Representative”.

20 (3) Section 316 of the North American Free
21 Trade Agreement Implementation Act (19 U.S.C.
22 3381) is amended by striking “subsection
23 202(d)(1)(C)(i)” and inserting “subsection
24 (d)(1)(C)(i)”.

1 (4) Section 309(c) of the North American Free
2 Trade Agreement Implementation Act (19 U.S.C.
3 3358(c)) is amended in paragraphs (1) and (2) by
4 striking “column 1—General” and inserting “col-
5 umn 1 general”.

6 (c) TITLE IV.—

7 (1) Section 402(d)(3) of the North American
8 Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act (19
9 U.S.C. 3432(d)(3)) is amended in the matter pre-
10 ceding subparagraph (A) by striking “(c)(4)” and
11 inserting “subsection (c)(4)”.

12 (2) Section 407(e)(2) of the North American
13 Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act (19
14 U.S.C. 3437(e)(2)) is amended by striking “peti-
15 tion,” and inserting “petition;”.

16 (3) Section 516A(g)(12)(D) of the Tariff Act of
17 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1516a(g)(12)(D)) is amended—

18 (A) by striking “(D)(i)” and inserting
19 “(D)”; and

20 (B) by striking “If the Trade Representa-
21 tive” and inserting “(i) If the Trade Represent-
22 ative”.

23 (4) Section 415(b)(2) of the North American
24 Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act (19

1 U.S.C. 3451(b)(2)) is amended by striking “under
2 516A(a)” and inserting “under section 516A(a)”.

3 (d) TITLE V.—Section 219 of the Caribbean Basin
4 Economic Recovery Act (19 U.S.C. 2707) is amended—

5 (1) in subsection (b)(1) by striking “Hemi-
6 sphere,” and inserting “Hemisphere;”; and

7 (2) in paragraphs (1) and (2) of subsection (h)
8 by striking “Center,” and inserting “Center;”.

9 (e) TITLE VI.—

10 (1) Section 3126 of the Revised Statutes of the
11 United States (19 U.S.C. 293) is amended by strik-
12 ing “or both” and inserting “or both,”.

13 (2) Section 3127 of the Revised Statutes of the
14 United States (19 U.S.C. 294) is amended by strik-
15 ing “conveyed a United States” and inserting “con-
16 veyed in a United States”.

17 (3) Section 436(a)(2) of the Tariff Act of 1930
18 (19 U.S.C. 1436(a)(2)) is amended—

19 (A) by striking “431(e)” and inserting
20 “431”; and

21 (B) by striking “or” after the semicolon at
22 the end.

23 (4) Section 313 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19
24 U.S.C. 1313) is amended—

1 (A) in subsection (j)(2) by realigning the
2 text following subparagraph (C)(ii)(II) begin-
3 ning with “then upon the exportation” and end-
4 ing with “duty, tax, or fee.” two ems to the left
5 so that the text has the same degree of indenta-
6 tion as paragraph (3) of section 313(j) of such
7 Act; and

8 (B) in subsection (t) by striking “chapter”
9 and inserting “Act”.

10 (5) Section 441 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19
11 U.S.C. 1441) is amended—

12 (A) in each of paragraphs (1), (2), and (4)
13 by striking the semicolon at the end and insert-
14 ing a period; and

15 (B) in paragraph (5) by striking “; and”
16 and inserting a period.

17 (6) Section 484(a)(1) of the Tariff Act of 1930
18 (19 U.S.C. 1484(a)(1)) is amended by striking
19 “553, and 336(j)” and inserting “and 553”.

20 (7) Section 514(a) of the Tariff Act of 1930
21 (19 U.S.C. 1514(a)) is amended by striking “section
22 520 (relating to refunds and errors), and section
23 521 (relating to reliquidations on account of fraud)”
24 and inserting “and section 520 (relating to refunds
25 and errors)”.

1 (8) Section 491(a) of the Tariff Act of 1930
2 (19 U.S.C. 1491(a)) is amended in the first sen-
3 tence—

4 (A) by striking “in in” and inserting “in”;
5 and

6 (B) by striking “appropriate customs offi-
7 cer” and inserting “Customs Service”.

8 (9) Section 490(c)(1) of the Tariff Act of 1930
9 (19 U.S.C. 1490(c)(1)) is amended by striking
10 “paragraphs (1) through (4) of subsection (a)” and
11 inserting “subparagraphs (A) through (D) of sub-
12 section (a)(1)”.

13 (10) Sections 1207(b)(2) and 1210(b)(1) of the
14 Omnibus Trade and Competitiveness Act of 1988
15 (19 U.S.C. 3007(b)(2) and 3010(b)(1)) are each
16 amended by striking “484(e)” and “1484(e)” and
17 inserting “484(f)” and “1484(f)”, respectively.

18 (11) Section 641(d)(2)(B) of the Tariff Act of
19 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1641(d)(2)(B)) is amended in the
20 second to the last sentence by striking “his” and in-
21 serting “the”.

22 (12) Section 621(4)(A) of the North American
23 Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act is
24 amended by striking “disclosure in 30 days” and in-
25 serting “disclosure within 30 days”.

1 (13) Section 592(d) of the Tariff Act of 1930
 2 (19 U.S.C. 1592(d)) is amended in the subsection
 3 heading by striking “TAXES” and inserting
 4 “TAXES,”.

5 (14) Section 625(a) of the Tariff Act of 1930
 6 (19 U.S.C. 1625(a)) is amended by striking “chap-
 7 ter” and inserting “Act”.

8 (15) Section 413(a)(1) of the Tariff Act of
 9 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1413(a)(1)) is amended by striking
 10 “this Act” and inserting “the North American Free
 11 Trade Agreement Implementation Act”.

12 **SEC. 29. OTHER TECHNICAL AMENDMENT.**

13 Section 516A(g)(4)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19
 14 U.S.C. 1516a(g)(4)(A)) is amended by striking “Imple-
 15 mentation Agreement Act of 1988” and inserting “Agree-
 16 ment Implementation Act of 1988”.

17 **SEC. 30. MORATORIUM ON MARKINGS OF METAL FORGINGS**

18 **AND HAND TOOLS; CONSULTATION AND LAY-**

19 **OVER REQUIREMENTS IN GENERAL.**

20 (a) MORATORIUM ON EXISTING AGENCY ACTIONS.—

21 (1) MORATORIUM.—Any regulations, rulings,
 22 guidelines, or other administrative decisions of the
 23 Secretary of the Treasury or of the United States
 24 Customs Service relating to rules of origin or coun-
 25 try of origin marking requirements in effect on July

1 17, 1996, with respect to hand tools or metal forg-
2 ings for hand tools may not be changed, modified,
3 or revoked for a period of 1 year beginning on the
4 date of the enactment of this Act. The regulations,
5 rulings, guidelines, and other administrative deci-
6 sions referred to in the preceding sentence shall, for
7 the 1-year period beginning on the date of the enact-
8 ment of this Act, govern the rules of origin and
9 country of origin marking requirements with respect
10 to hand tools and metal forgings for hand tools.

11 (2) DEFINITION.—For purposes of this sub-
12 section, the term “metal forgings for hand tools”
13 means metal forgings that—

14 (A) are imported for processing into fin-
15 ished hand tools in the United States; and

16 (B) have not been improved in condition
17 beyond rough burring, trimming, grinding,
18 turning, hammering, chiseling, or filing.

19 (b) CONSULTATION WITH CONGRESS.—

20 (1) HAND TOOLS AND METAL FORGINGS.—Any
21 regulations, rulings, guidelines, or other administra-
22 tive decisions referred to in subsection (a) may be
23 changed, modified, or revoked, consistent with Unit-
24 ed States law, after the end of the 1-year period de-

scribed in that subsection, but only if the requirements of paragraph (3) are met.

(2) CHANGES IN RULE OF ORIGIN OR COUNTRY OF ORIGIN MARKING REQUIREMENTS.—Any regulations, rulings, guidelines, or other administrative decisions of the Secretary of the Treasury or of the United States Customs Service constituting a significant policy change in rules of origin or country of origin marking requirements in effect on July 17, 1996, may be issued only if the requirements of paragraph (3) are met.

(3) PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS.—The requirements referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) are that—

(A) in addition to any other requirement of law or public notice procedure, the Secretary of the Treasury has consulted with interested and potentially affected persons regarding the proposed action referred to in paragraph (1) or (2), as the case may be;

(B) the Secretary of the Treasury has submitted a report to the Committee on Ways and Means of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Finance of the Senate that sets forth the action proposed, the extent to which

1 such action constitutes a significant policy
2 change from that underlying the regulations,
3 rulings, guidelines, or administrative decisions
4 in effect, and the reasons for such change;

5 (C) a period of 60 days, beginning with the
6 first day on which the Secretary of the Treas-
7 ury has met the requirements of subparagraphs
8 (A) and (B) with respect to the proposed action
9 has expired; and

10 (D) the Secretary of the Treasury has con-
11 sulted with the committees referred to in sub-
12 paragraph (B) regarding the proposed action
13 during the period referred to in subparagraph
14 (C).

15 (4) CALCULATION OF 60-DAY PERIOD.—The 60-
16 day period referred to in paragraph (3)(C) shall be
17 computed by excluding—

18 (A) the days on which either House of
19 Congress is not in session because of an ad-
20 journment of more than 3 days to a day certain
21 or an adjournment of the Congress sine die;
22 and

23 (B) any Saturday and Sunday, not ex-
24 cluded under subparagraph (A), when either
25 House is not in session.

1 (5) DEFINITION.—For purposes of this sub-
2 section, the term “significant policy change” means
3 an action or determination for which the Secretary
4 of the Treasury is required to follow the procedures
5 of section 625(c) or section 516 of the Tariff Act of
6 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1625, 1516).

7 (c) EFFECT ON OTHER LAWS AND OBLIGATIONS.—
8 Nothing in this section shall affect section 132 or 334 of
9 the Uruguay Round Agreements Act (19 U.S.C. 3552,
10 3592), or require actions inconsistent with United States
11 obligations under the WTO Agreements (as defined in sec-
12 tion 2 of the Uruguay Round Agreements Act (19 U.S.C.
13 3501), the North American Free Trade Agreement, or the
14 Agreement on the Establishment of a Free Trade Area
15 between the Government of the United States of America
16 and the Government of Israel.

Passed the House of Representatives July 30, 1996.

Attest:

ROBIN H. CARLE,

Clerk.